





SEX	GENDER	SEXUAL ORIENTATION
Male	Masculine	Likes Females
Female	Feminine	Likes Males

SEX: Biologically based (though some would argue socially constructed)

determination of a person's label of 'female' or 'male;' often based on a

doctor's visual assessment of a baby's genitalia.

GENDER: A social construct. In Western culture, it is typically divided between men and

women, and masculine and feminine. Gender is usually someone's sex made visible. *Transgender* is someone who transgresses or transcends gender

and/or sex norms in some way.

SEXUAL ORIENTATION: The biological sex someone finds attractive.

SEX

MALE-----FEMALE

EXTERNAL GENDER

MASCULINE-----FEMININE

INTERNAL GENDER

MASCULINE-----FEMININE

EMOTIONAL/SOCIAL ORIENTATION

HOMOSEXUAL------HETEROSEXUAL

PHYSICAL/SEXUAL ORIENTATION

HOMOSEXUAL-----HETEROSEXUAL

